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Applicant : Robert L. Newell Date: AUGUST 7, 2003  
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For : APPLICATOR BRUSHES AND  
METHOD FOR APPLYING MASCARA Docket No. A-00.101.1

## AMENDMENT

## AND

## REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION IN TIME TO RESPOND

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Honorable Sir:

In response to the Examiner's letter of April 9, 2003,  
please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims  
which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

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